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To: <u>Legal Affairs and Community Safety Committee</u>

Subject: Re: Liquor (Rural Hotels Concession) Amendment Bill 2017

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LEGAL AFFAIRS and COMMUNITY

GOLDEN WEST HOTEL

SAFFTY COMMITTEE.

Saint Mary Street

Dear Sir/Madam

ISISFORD 4731

We wish to respond to and support the Liquor (Rural Hotels Concession) Amendment Bill. We are one of two small Hotels in a small town with 70 people and believe the existing licence fee is totally unjust when compared to the larger hotels with bigger populations. We also have to face higher costs for our purchase of liquor as we being small have to purchase from other hotels of which have already paid the Licence Fee. With our business we have a round trip to our Hotel supplier in Longreach of 240kl and get, like many of the Hotels in smaller Towns in Outback Queensland get a dollar of the retail price of a carton of beer, we love our community's and support The School and all other events all we can but at times this becomes very hard and invite the Committee out here to see the important part a Hotel plays in the Outback community, our Licence fee compared to larger centres just doesn't add up, in your considerations I hope you can see our plight.

Yours Truly'

Ken & Anne Tanner